



# Design Professional (A/E) Interface Recommendations

**INCLUDING INTERFACES FOR:** 

VOICE SYSTEMS
DATA SYSTEMS
VIDEO SYSTEMS
AUDIO-VISUAL SYSTEMS

FOR ALL

SFB Enhanced K-12 Schools

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### **Section 1**

# VOICE, DATA, AND VIDEO FACILITY INFRASTRUCTURE RECOMMENDATIONS

Summary of voice, data, video facilities infrastructure recommendations – to be provided by the A/E contractor. We have conducted a series of activities, which have provided insight into the instructional technology needs for building infrastructure. These building infrastructure elements are itemized for each type of instructional technology support space in the tables below.

Table 1-1, GENERAL CRITERIA FOR ALL TELECOMMUNICATIONS ROOMS:

ITEM No.	ISSUE	RECOMMENDATION	Provided by Design Professional (A/E)
1	Ceiling height	At least 8 ft. 6 in	Yes
2	Doorways	Should have fully-opening lockable doors which are at least 36 in. wide and 80 in. tall	Yes
3	Doors	Should open outward as allowable by fire code	Yes
4	Floors	Use tile or seal concrete floors, do not carpet	Yes
5	Dust	Seal concrete floors, masonry walls and ceiling to minimize dust	Yes
6	Positive air pressure	Maintain positive air pressure with a minimum of one air change per hour	Yes
7	Environmental control	Maintain 75 degrees F plus or minus 15 degrees - maintained 24 hours per day, 365 days per year	Yes
8	Ceilinas	Do not install dropped ceilings	Yes
9	Wire cage around fire sprinkler heads	Provide wire cages on all existing fire protection sprinkler heads to prevent accidental discharge	Yes
10	Floor loading	Floors should be capable of loading to 50 lbs. per square foot	Yes
11	Lighting level	Lighting should provide an equivalent to 540 Lux measured 3 ft. above the finished floor level	Yes





## Table 1-2, SPECIFIC TELCO CARRIER SERVICES MAIN POINT OF PRESENCE (MPOP) ROOM RECOMMENDATIONS:

ITEM No.	ISSUE	RECOMMENDATIONS	Qwest	Provided by Design Professional (A/E)
1	Size	8' by 8' Space (no wall less than 6' length clear)	No	Yes
2	Plyboard	1 ea, 8' (H) by 4' (L), Fire Rated Board	No	Yes
3	Electrical	2 ea, dedicated, NEMA 5-20-R4 Receptacle with TVSS – 400 Volt max. let-through	No	Yes
4	Grounding	Per NEC, Requires Confirmation	No	Yes
5	Environmental Control	75 +/-15 F	No	Yes
6	Heat Load	1.0 Tons	No	Yes
7	Security	Key Locked, no through traffic path, common key per campus	No	Yes
8	Cable Ladders	12" Wide, full perimeter, 7' high	Yes	No
9	19" Wide Racks, 7' Tall	2	Yes	No
10	Wiring Closet Wall Sleeves/Tray (1 hour rated)	All fire rated walls/floors	No	Yes
11	Non-rated 4" EMT Sleeves	Non fire rated walls	No	Yes
12	Location	Within 50 ft of Telco cable entry point.	No	Yes





#### Table 1-3, VOICE, DATA, AND VIDEO MAIN DISTRIBUTION FRAME (MDF) ROOM RECOMMENDATIONS:

ITEM No	ISSUE	RECOMMENDATION	Qwest	Provided by Design Professional (A/E)
1	Size	8' by 6' Space (no wall less than 4' length clear)	No	Yes
2	Plyboard	1 ea, 8' (H) by 4' (L), Fire Rated Board	No	Yes
3	Electrical	2 ea, dedicated, NEMA 5-20-R4 Receptacle with TVSS – 400 Volt max. let-through	No	Yes
4	Grounding	per NEC, Requires Conformation	No	Yes
5	Environmental Control	75 +/-15 F	No	Yes
6	Heat Load	0.75 Tons	No	Yes
7	Security	Key Locked, no through traffic path, common key per campus	No	Yes
8	Cable Ladders	12" Wide, full perimeter, 7' high	Yes	No
9	19" Wide Racks, 7' Tall	2	Yes	No
10	Wiring Closet Wall Sleeves/Tray (1 hour rated)	All fire rated walls/floor	No	Yes
11	Non-rated 4" EMT Sleeves	Non fire rated walls	No	Yes
12	Location	Within 50 ft of building-to-building cable entry point.	No	Yes





## Table 1-4, VOICE, DATA, AND VIDEO INTERMEDIATE DISTRIBUTION FRAME (IDF) ROOM RECOMMENDATIONS:

ITEM No	ISSUE	RECOMMENDATION	Qwest	Provided by Design Professional (A/E)
1	Size	6' by 6' Space (no wall less than 4' length clear)	No	Yes
2	Plyboard	1 ea, 8' (H) by 4' (L), Fire Rated Board	No	Yes
3	Electrical	1 ea, dedicated, NEMA 5-20-R4 Receptacle with TVSS – 400 Volt max. let-through	No	Yes
4	Grounding	Per NEC, Requires Confirmation	No	Yes
5	Environmental Control	75 +/-15 F	No	Yes
6	Heat Load	0.5 Tons	No	Yes
7	Security	Key Locked, no through traffic path, common key per campus	No	Yes
8	Cable Ladders	12" Wide, full perimeter, 7' high	Yes	No
9	19" Wide Racks, 7' Tall	1	Yes	No
10	Wiring Closet Wall Sleeves/Tray (1 hour rated		No	Yes
11	Non-rated 4" EMT Sleeves	Non fire rated walls	No	Yes
12	Location	Within 90 meters of all space served for data		Yes





### Section 2 VOICE, DATA, AND VIDEO RACEWAY RECOMMENDATIONS

Summary of voice, data, and video raceway recommendations: We have conducted a series of activities, which have provided insight into the instructional technology needs for wiring/cabling raceways for this project. The recommended raceways are itemized by location and type of instructional technology support in the tables below. All raceways and sleeves should be provided by Electrical Contractor per ANSI/IEEE 70 (National Electrical Code) as follows:

#### **TABLE 2-1 RACEWAY RECOMMENDATIONS**

Raceway Location	Raceway Description	Primary Use (Cable Type)	Qwest	Design Professional (A/E)
Site Utilities Special Systems Duct Bank				
	1 ea. Communications man-hole/vault near property line	All	No	Yes
	1 ea. 4" buried conduit, pull string (concrete backfill)	Voice, Copper	No	Yes
	1 ea. 4" buried conduit w/ 3 ea. 1.25" Innerduct, pull strings (concrete backfill)	Data, Video, Copper	No	Yes
	1 ea. 4" buried conduit w/ 3 ea. 1.25" Innerduct, pull strings (concrete backfill)	Data, Fiber	No	Yes
Building-to- Building				
	1 ea. 4" buried conduit w/ 3 ea. 1.25" Innerduct, pull strings (concrete backfill)	Voice, Special Systems (Note 1), Copper	No	Yes
	1 ea. 4" buried conduit w/ 3 ea. 1.25" Innerduct, pull strings (concrete backfill)	Data/Voice, Fiber	No	Yes
Closet-to-Closet (within a building) raceways				
	12" wide by 6" high Cable Tray	Voice, Special Systems Copper and Data/Voice, Fiber	No	Yes
Riser Cable raceways (floor-to- floor within building)				
	2 ea. 4" Conduit sleeves w/ fire stop	Voice, Special Systems Copper and Data/Voice, Fiber	Yes	Yes





Station Cable Raceways within Classroom				
	5 ea, concealed 1" conduit stub-ups with bushing above ceiling height w/ single-gang shallow backbox at 18" above FFH in classroom	New/Existing Gypsum Board Walls	No	Yes
	5 ea, concealed 1" conduit stub-ups with bushing above ceiling height w/ single-gang shallow backbox at 18" above FFH in classroom	New Masonry Walls	No	Yes
	2 ea, vertical surface decorative raceways and Tri –Channel, See Section 3, Power Coordination RECOMMENDATIONS	Existing Masonry Walls	Yes, decorative raceway	Tri-Channel only w/all electrical
	Modular furniture low voltage raceways	Modular Furniture Walls	Yes	No

Note 1: Special System examples may include intercom, HVAC or security, not fire alarms FFH = Finished floor height

# Section 3 POWER Recommendations

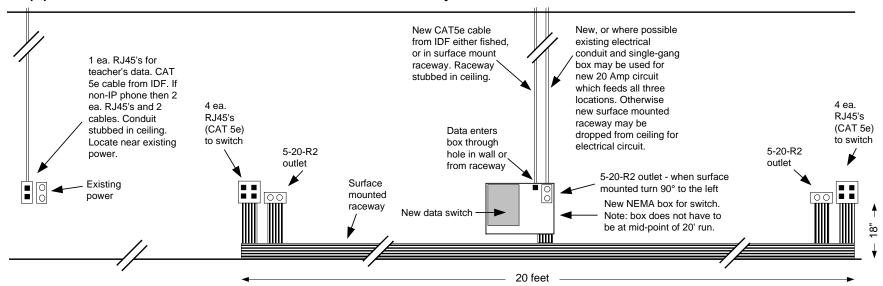
**Summary of power recommendations:** We have conducted a series of activities, which have provided insight into the instructional technology needs and power recommendations for this project. The power recommendations are itemized by location and type of instructional technology support in the tables below: All power RECOMMENDATIONS should be provided by Electrical Contractor per ANSI/IEEE 70 (National Electrical Code) as follows:

#### **TABLE 3-1 POWER RECOMMENDATIONS**

Power Location	Power Description	Primary Use	Design Professional (A/E)
Main Point-of- Presence (MPOP)			
	See Table 1-2	MPOP	Yes
Main Distribution Frame (MDF)			
	See Table 1-3	MDF	Yes
Intermediate Distribution Frame (IDF)			
	See Table 1-4	IDF	Yes
Classroom			
	A dedicated 20 Amp circuit feeding 3 ea NEMA 5-20-R2 receptacles with TVSS – 400 Volt max. let- through per	Gypsum Board Walls and New Masonry Walls	Yes
	Reuse existing electrical conduit and single-gang box, or drop new surface mounted raceway from ceiling, for a dedicated 20 Amp circuit feeding all three surface mounted NEMA 5-20-R2 receptacles with TVSS – 400 Volt max. let- through per Note: New Surface Mount: surface decorative raceway or Tri – Channel	Existing Masonry Walls	Yes
	Modular furniture electrical circuitry	Modular Furniture Walls	Yes

Figure 2-1: Classroom Data and Electrical Raceways/Conduits

#### (A) Surface Mounted Classroom Data and Electrical Raceways/Conduits



#### (B) Concealed Classroom Data and Electrical Raceways/Conduits

